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CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 USC § 371**

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**TITLE OF INVENTION**

OXIME SUBSTITUTED IMIDAZO-CONTAINING COMPOUNDS

**APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US**

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1.  This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC § 371.
2.  This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC § 371.
3.  This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC § 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4.  The US has been elected (Article 31).
5.  A copy of the International Application as filed (35 USC § 371(c)(2)).
  - a.  is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b.  has been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - c.  is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6.  An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 USC § 371(c)(2)).
  - a.  is attached hereto
  - b.  has been previously submitted under 35 USC § 154(d)(4)
7.  Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC § 371(c)(3))
  - a.  are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b.  have been communicated by the International Bureau
  - c.  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired
  - d.  have not been made and will not be made.
8.  An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 USC § 371(c)(3)).
9.  An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 USC § 371(c)(4)).
10.  An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 USC §§ 371(c)(5)).

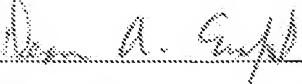
**Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:**

11.  An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98.
12.  An assignment document for recording is being filed.
13.  A preliminary amendment.
14.  An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR § 1.76.
15.  A substitute specification.
16.  A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
17.  A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13(er.2) and 37 CFR §§ 1.821 – 1.825.
18.  A second copy of the published international application under 35 USC § 154(d)(4).
19.  A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 USC § 154(d)(4).
20.  Other items or information:

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